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REF (A) DIA INTELLIGENCE BULLETIN, 30 JUNE 1969, PAGE B-4 (NOTAL)
(B) NPIC BRIEFING BOARD M-6453 (5/69) (NOTAL)

1. SWING BOX (REFERENCE A) POSSIBLE WIDE BAND PASSIVE SEARCH EQUIPMENT HAS PROBABLY BEEN DEPLOYED IN NORTH VIETNAM.

2. THE ROTATABLE VAN TRAILERS LOCATED 13 NAUTICAL MILES (NM) SSE OF HANOI, WHICH WERE REPORTED IN REFERENCE B, ARE AGAIN OBSERVED ON BUMPY ACTION. THESE TRAILERS HAVE

TAILOR-MADE CANVAS COVERS WHICH COMPLETELY ENCLOSE THEM. NO EXTERNAL ANTENNAS HAVE BEEN OBSERVED. THE UNIQUE CANVAS COVERS AND THE POSSIBLE ACCESS DOORS OBSERVED ON THE TRAILERS IN NORTH VIETNAM MATCH FEATURES OBSERVED ON COLLATERAL PHOTOGRAPHY OF SWING BOX EQUIPMENT OBSERVED IN EASTERN EUROPE. ON THE BASIS OF THESE SIMILARITIES, NPIC IS IDENTIFYING THE VAN TRAILERS AS PROBABLE SWING BOX POSSIBLE WIDE BAND PASSIVE SEARCH EQUIPMENT. THE ABSENCE OF VISIBLE ANTENNAS SUGGESTS THE PRESENT OF SOME TYPE OF INTERNAL OR SURFACE MOUNTED ANTENNAS, SUCH AS THE PANELS OF DIELECTRIC MATERIAL FEATURED ON SWING BOX INTERCEPT EQUIPMENT.

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